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USE OF COMPOUNDS THAT
REDUCE ALPHA2-ANTIPLASMIN
IN VIVO FOR THE PREPARATION
OF A COMPOSITION FOR THE
TREATMENT OF ISCHEMIC
STROKE

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BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

1. Field of the Invention

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